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SUBJECT: FBI INVESTIGATION OF RYAN DEATH
THE FBI MADE THE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE NOVEMBER 21:
BEGIN QUOTE: FBI DIRECTOR WILLIAM H. WEBSTER CONFIRMED TODAY THAT THE FBI IS INVESTIGATING THE MURDER OF CONGRESSMAN LEO J. RYAN OF CALIFORNIA AND THE EVENTS SURROUNDING HIS DEATH AT JONESTOWN, GUYANA.
DIRECTOR WEBSTER ADDED THE MURDER OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY THE FBI UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATIONS STATUTE INCLUDING CONSPIRACY PROVISIONS OF THE ACT; SINCE THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE
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DEATH OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN CAN BE PROSECUTED FOR THIS FEDERAL OFFENSE IF THEY ARE FOUND IN OR RETURNED TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES.
SURVIVORS OF THE SHOOTING INCIDENT AT JONESTOWN ARE BEING INTERVIEWED BY SPECIAL AGENTS OF THE FBI UPON THEIR RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES. OTHER PERSONS WHO MIGHT HAVE INFORMATION RELATING TO THIS INCIDENT ARE BEING INTERVIEWED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES. FBI REPRESENTATION IN GUYANA IS BEING COORDINATED WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE GOVERNMENT OF GUYANA. CHRISTOPHER
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